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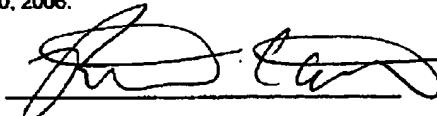
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Honorable Sir:

This is a reply to the Office Action dated November 30, 2005 and an Advisory Action dated March 22, 2006 regarding the above-identified patent application. Applicant is resubmitting a translation of priority document DE 102 38 866 that was previously submitted with a Request for Reconsideration that was filed February 28, 2006.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.

An Appendix including a translation of priority document DE 102 38 866, a notarized statement of accuracy, and a copy of the original Acknowledgement Postcard begins after page 3 of this paper.